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DIXIE'S VETERANS RECEIVE OVATION

Once More They Pass in Review 'Neath Stars and Bars.

GRAY AND FEEBLE, BUT FULL OF PRIDE

Thousands Line Mobile's Streets and Cheer Old Soldiers as They Follow Flags Which Led Them in Battle-Annual Reunion Is

Ended.

ame to a close to-day, with the sweep of 15,000 old seldiers through the streets of the beautiful and historic old town of Mobile in their annual pa-rade, and the grand balls in honor of the sporyers and mades of honor preceded by a spectacular parade of the Order of Myths, in which the Mystic Society, in fanciful array, reproduced the Mardi Gras celebration for the edi-

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The parade of the diminishing armies of the Confederacy was, as ever, an affecting sight to the thousands of devoted Southerners who were pres-ent on their annual pilgrimage to do honor to the men who wore the gray, and to drop their tears upon the bier of "the storm-cradled nation, that felli"

Never was there a more touching Never was there a more touching sight than the march of the gray-haired soldiers from all parts of the South, under the spreading tropical trees that line the broad and beauti-ful residence streets of Mobile, the marchers inspired by the cheers of the men and women gathered together to honor them.

The Virginia Column.

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The Virginia column in the parade was headed by General J. Thompson Brown and staff, mounted, and accompanied by the State sponsor, Miss Ann Louise Richardson, with her maids, Miss Grant and Miss Hodges, of Richmond. The R. E. Lee Camp had forty men in line, including Lieutenaus Gayerine Ellyson, who marked tenant-Governor Ellyson, who marched on foot and kept such splendid time that one of the old veterans was askthat one of the old veterans was ask-ed by a military man if they had been drilling to learn how to march for the occasion. The characteristic reply was that they had never forgotten how to march. The A. P. Hill Camp, of Petersburg, also made a fine show-tne.

The North Carolina division, headed

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The North Carolina division, headed by General Julian S. Carr, of Durham, and staff, which marched afoot, was one of the features of the parade. Carrying huge hornets' nests as mementoes of their past encounters and accompanied by little Ruth Porter and Master Wynne, of Mecklenburg, as mascots, in Confederate uniform, the Hornets' Nest Riflemen called forth enthusiastic applause for the Tarheels all along the line.

The jovial general of the division, who preferred to walk with his men, was accompanied by Golonel Arnold B. Boyden, of Salisbury, his adjutant and chief of staff, while the beautiful North Carolina sponsor, Miss Marcia Rodman Myers, of Washington, with her maid of honor, Miss Mary Virginia Bonner, and chaperon. Mrs. J. W. Falson, of Charlotte, received a continuous round of admiration and appliause.

Administration Claims Victory on Traffic Agreement of Railford Bill.
Washington, April 2s.—When the Senate adjourned to-night there was a general understanding that a voic would be reached to-morrow on the traffic agreement of the railfoad bill. So far as is known, Mr. Cummins less further on the subject.
The first vote will be on the Cummins substitute, requiring approval of the rates embraced in agreements of the rates embraced in agreements of the advance of their taking effect. With this provision defeated, as it probably will be, the ballot will then recur on the Elikins-Crawford smeadinent, which has been accepted as the committee provision. The supporters of the administration are claiming a majority of seven or eight votes in Tavor of this section.

The debate to-day continued to be of an arimated character. It was participated in by Messrs Cummins, Root, Aldrich, Borah, Bailey, Heyburn and others.

Senator Clay delivered a set speech

Democrats on Ballinger-Pin

tern.
At the conclusion of Mr. Bristow's speech, Senator Clay spoke in especial opposition to the court feature of the railroad bill and the provision authorizing traffic agreements between railroads and permitting combinations.

Washington, D. C. April 28 — James T. Havens, of Rochester, N. Y., recently elected as a member of the House, defeating George W. Aldridge, is expected to arrive in Washington to-morrow, according to information received to-day by Champ Clark, the Democratic leader.

The Democrates are planning to give Mr. Havens an ovation when he appears in the House to take the oath. It is expected that Representative Foss, the new Democratic member from Massachusetts, will introduce him to the House.

TO FORTIFY CANAL

Will Cost \$14,104,203 to Protect the Big Ditch.

Washington, D. C., April 28.—The Treasury Department to day sent to Congress an estimate for the fortification of the Panama Canal, aggregating \$14,104,203, and an appropriation of \$6,000,000 is expected for the beginning of the work. Acting Secretary Hilles said in his communication that the Atlantic and Pacific terminals of the Atlantic and Pacific terminals of the Atlantic and Pacific terminals of the canal could be completed within three and one-half years if appropriations were made in accordance with estimates.

WOMAN MAY WEAR TROUSERS

No Law Against II in Kansas, Says Attorney-General.

Topeka, Kan. April 28.—Governor Stubbs received a letter vesterday from a widow at Oswego asking permission to wear men's trousers while at work at her bome.

The letter states the widow is supporting a large family, which necessitates outside work, and that in wearing skirts she is badly handicapped.

The letter was turned over to the Attorney-General, and that official ruled there was no law prohibiting a woman wearing man's trousers, especialty if she were the head of the house.

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The bill takes cognizance, however, of the rights of persons and firms who ave already copyrighted and patented the emblem for business uses, and declares that their rights shall not be interfered with. If the bill should the emblem for business uses, and declares that their rights shall not be interfered with.

Would Not Cause Embarrassment at Pittsburg Ball Game.
Forbes Field next Monday, he will not be accompanied by his double, Desk Sergeant Thomas J. Morley, of the central station. Morley was invited by a member of the entertainment committee to attend the game, but last night said he would not be there.
"I don't want to make a show of myself," said Morley, "and besides it being embarrassing to me, it might not be comfortable for the President. Till be on duty at the old stand at eartral station, but I'll keep posted how the game goes."

VOTE COMES TO-DAY Administration Claims Victory on TratDe Agreement of Railrand Bill.

Wickersham Need Not Taggart, Defeated, Joins Pro-Liquor People Win Answer Charge of Mis-

TURNED ASIDE

Investigating Committee Vote for Inquiry as to Facts, but Republicans Block Them. Secretary Will Testify in Own Behalf.

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RIOTOUS DISCORD DANVILLE VOTES FOUND NECESSARY ENDS IN HARMONY TO HAVE SALOONS

Election by Scant Margin.

TOTAL VOTE IS 1, 154;

MAJORITY ONLY 10

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Hands With Victors.

KERN INDORSED FOR U. S. SENATE

Democrats on Ballinger-Pinchot Former Vice-Presidential Candidate Is Named as Choice of Indiana Democrats - Taggart Makes Bitter Fight for Primary, Seeking Toga for Himself.



Those who have cars entered, drivers, observers and all automobile owners should attend. The rules will be ex-

plained and the route outlined.

Entries close at midnight, April 30.

WELCOMED TO BRUSSELS

People of Belgium Warmly Greet Colonel Roosevelt.

Brussels. April 28.—Ex-President Brussels, April 28.—Ex-resident Roosevelt met King Albert, of Belgium, to-day, and to-night they exchanged social greetings later driving together from the Brussels exposition to Lasken Palace and spending an hour in the

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The Belgian people gave Colonel and Mrs. Rossevelt and their children a warm welcome on their arrival here from Paris at noon. After luncheon at the American embassy and a reception for the American colony, Colonel Rossevelt visited the exposition, and/his appearance there was marked by a double demonstration for himself and the King. His passage down the broad Avenue Louise was accompanied by continual cheers. The Saalq was Actes, where the ex-President spoke, was packed to the doors, and several thousand persons were unable to gain admission. While Colonel Rossevelt waited in the reception-room in the rear of the stage the young King arrived by the side entrance. The King strode forward and ho introductions were necessary, as they had met in America, when the King was a crown prince. After a warm handshaking they talked for several minutes in low tones. The King told Colonel Rossevelt how glad he was to welcome him to Belgium.

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COMET SEEN FROM SHIP

was such as he had seen in the public prints.

We had two children," he said.

"Since I have been in Columbus Mrs. Leavitt has sent word that she and the children were comfortably settled in Hanover, Germany, and that the children were in a kindergarten."

In case he received direct word from Nebraska, Mr. Leavitt said he would leave here in time to reach Fairview before the marriage took place.

"I should not hesitate to stop the ceremony, if that were the only way to get possession of my children," he said.

DEATH DUE TO APOPLEXY

Clifton Forge Merchant Found Dead in Roem in Baltimore Hotel.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Baltimore, Md., April 28.—R. D. Children, was found dead in his room in the Eutaw House here to-night. A porter, passing the haif-to-open door of Mr. Nuckols's room, saw him lying on the dior. Manager to-night. A porter, passing the haif-to-open door of Mr. Nuckols's room, saw him lying on the dior. Manager to-night. A porter, passing the haif-to-open door of Mr. Nuckols's room, saw him lying on the dior. Manager to-night. A porter, passing the haif-to-open door of Mr. Nuckols's room, saw him lying on the dior. Manager to-night. A porter, passing the haif-to-open door of Mr. Nuckols's room, saw him lying on the dior. Manager to-night. A porter, passing the haif-to-open door of Mr. Nuckols's room, saw him lying on the dior. Manager to-night. A porter, passing the haif-to-open door of Mr. Nuckols's room, saw him lying on the dior. Manager to-night. A porter, passing the haif-to-open door of Mr. Nuckols's room, saw him lying on the dior. Manager to-night. A porter, passing the haif-to-open door of Mr. Nuckols's room, saw him lying on the dior. Manager to-night appears to the declinal of the catterial in power and the growing importance of the prompt, and the summoned Dr. B. F. Phillips. On making an examination. Dr. Phillips discovered that the merchant had died of appears to the declinal of the Gascous Tail May Have Interfered
With Wireless Telegraphy.
New York, April 28.—Halley's comet,
as bright as Venus, and trailing a
short, brushy tail, was clearly visible
to the naked eye for several successive mornings on the northward voyage of the Royal Mail packet Atrato,
which docked here last night from
Colon and Kingston. The entire passenger list turned out every day between 4 and 5:30 A. M. to marvel.
Captain Cheret reported that his
wireless operator had trouble in sending messages, and thought the gaseous
tail of the comet might have disturbed
atmospheric conditions.

DINERS THROWN INTO UPROAR BY MAYOR'S ATTACK

Before Newspaper Men. Gaynor Assails William R. Hearst.

LIBERALLY USES HARSH EPITHETS

Hearst's Business Manages Shakes Fist in Mayor's Face and Seeks to Reply, but Is

for South.

Washington. April 28.—Damage to crops in the Southern States east of the Mississippi River is not as great as some of the first reports seemed to indicate according to President Finley, of the Southern Railway.

He said to-day that reports show cotton and corn have suffered in the northern two-thirds of the States of Mississippi, Alabama and Georgia, but that further south these crops were